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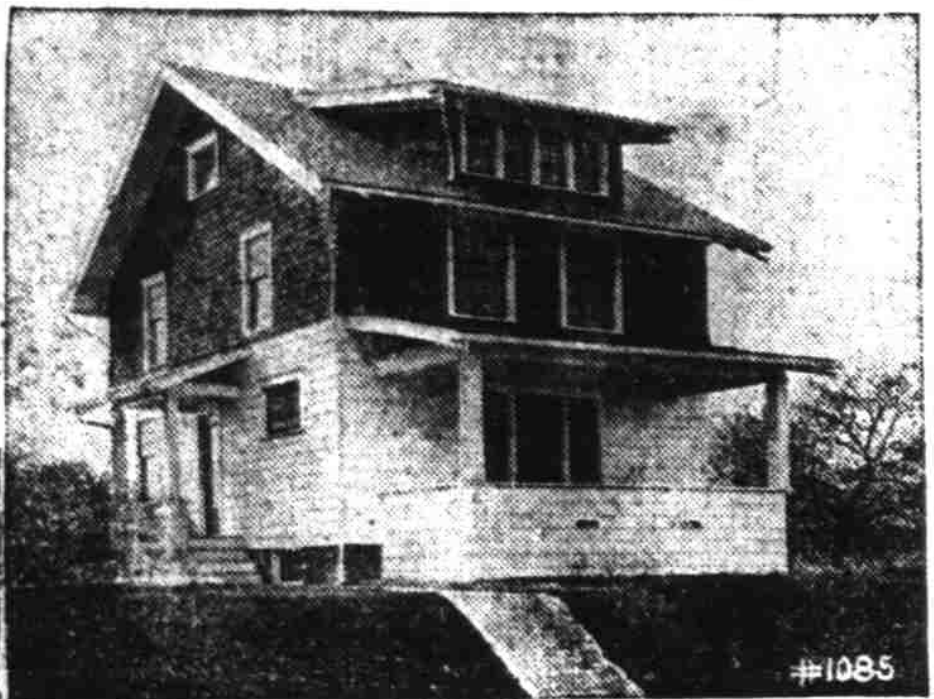
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## Is Lumber High?



#1085

A house such as this, built in 1914, at the average price of sugar for that year, would have taken 45 tons of sugar to pay for it. The actual figure in dollars was \$3000.

At today's price of materials and of sugar, it would require only 26 tons of sugar to build the same house.

The best building time for Hawaii is RIGHT NOW, because; while

A ton of sugar in 1914 would buy only 2.1 M feet of merchantable lumber, will now buy 3.75 M feet of merchantable lumber; showing that lumber has not advanced proportionately with sugar—the main product of these islands.

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## COMMERCIAL NEWS

### COUNTRY'S SUGAR REQUIREMENTS LARGE DESPITE HEAVIER MELTINGS

(The Hawaiian Islands) In this connection it will be recalled that during the month of May of last year some planters began to back out of their contracts, and in some cases even refused to deliver their sugar. This was due to the fact that the country's sugar requirements are large, owing to the general desire of the people to preserve for later use large portions of this season's beautiful fruit crop.

As already stated in previous issues, the limited quantity of sugar remaining unsold out of the Cuban crop, together with a very active demand from United States consumers for the product of refiners here as shown by the figures of over 20,000 tons increased consumption during the first six months of 1917 as compared with the corresponding half of last year, combined with the larger purchases of Cuban sugar by European buyers this year, are the principal factors which have brought about this unprecedented advance in values of raw sugar.

Stocks at the Atlantic ports were further reduced by a week's meltings, 12,500 tons in excess of its receipts, and a continuance of such operations seems likely to be experienced for some time to come when taking as a basis of calculation the charters of tonnage reported for the transportation of sugar from Cuba in the near future. Published figures of total stocks at the Atlantic ports now show a reduction of 114,248 tons from those on hand at this date last year, while the combined stocks of the United States and Cuba are at the moment understood to be 104,265 tons below those of a year ago.

### BRINGS VARIETY OF FOWL, FISH TO BREED IN HAWAII

Judge Wise of Hilo Returns  
With Striped Bass, Crabs,  
Sea Gulls, Teal Ducks

Bringing a variety of fowl and fish which he intends to introduce into the islands, W. S. Wise, former district magistrate of Hilo, and the man who introduced frogs into the Hawaiian Islands 18 years ago, arrived in Honolulu yesterday on the Maui on his way home to Hilo. Judge Wise has spent the past two months hunting and fishing in different parts of the West.

These are what came to Honolulu today and will be taken to Hilo: Two hundred striped bass, 12 cinnamon teal ducks, four dozen California crabs and one and one-half dozen sea gulls.

The bass will be placed in a private pond on land leased from the Bishop estate, will be watched for results, and if they breed successfully will be placed in appropriate parts of the islands.

The ducks will be held in captivity until they have proved their ability to make their way in the world alone, when they will be loosed in a proper locality.

The California crabs will be placed in Kahoehoe wharf at Hilo as soon as possible. Judge Wise says there are no others like them here.

The sea gulls will be loosed from Kahoehoe wharf at Hilo as soon as possible. Judge Wise says there are no others like them here.

Eighteen years ago Judge Wise introduced the frog into the islands, loosed a few of them in the swamps about Hilo, and now they exist in all parts of the islands in thousands. During his hunting and fishing trip in California he obtained his new product from the California State Fish and Food commission. Near Hilo, Judge Wise maintains a small farm on which he keeps the great variety of animals which he fancies. He will return to his farm as soon as possible.

### HILO AND KONA UNITS SEND IN QUANTITIES OF RED CROSS GOODS

The local Hawaiian War Relief committee has received from the Hilo unit two large boxes containing pajamas, drawers, nightgowns, bed shoes, knitted garments, pillows and 425 surgical dressings. The Kona unit, directed by Mrs. D. D. Wallace, sent pillowcases, pajamas, knitted garments, handkerchiefs and 214 surgical dressings.

The women of the committee are now working on accordion-pleated dressings, which are used for packing wounds. Mrs. W. L. Whitner is in charge of surgical dressings, taking the place of Mrs. E. A. Jones who left for the mainland recently.

On Monday the registration card system was adopted, and so far 73 women have signed cards. The committee hopes that more women will register and volunteer to work for the Red Cross.

MISS BLANCHE COZIER, a well-known singer of Salt Lake City, Utah, arrived in Honolulu on the Maui.

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Sore Eyes, Eyes Inflamed by  
Sun, Dust and Wind, quickly  
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**YOUR EYES** No Smarting, Just Eye Comfort  
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Mail, Order from: Murine  
Eye Salve, in Tube Ltd., 100 West of the Eye—Frank  
L. & M. Co., Chicago, Ill.

### CARDEN NAMED TO TAKE CASE OF MURDERERS

Five Filipinos Held for Death  
of Japanese Are Scheduled  
to Plead Tomorrow

Will T. Carden, chairman of the public utilities commission and former deputy city and county attorney, has been appointed by Circuit Judge William H. Heen as counsel to defend the five Filipinos, who yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of first degree murder. They are charged with having shot and stabbed Tsunetaro Hayashibara, a Japanese storekeeper, near Kaneohe, on the night of August 12.

Although the five Filipinos entered pleas of guilty yesterday morning when arraigned, Circuit Judge Heen declined to accept the pleas, as the crime with which they are charged carries a capital punishment, death. They are to be brought into court again at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, at which time they probably will plead not guilty. The case will then be set for trial.

Eduardo Asuncion, the sixth member of the gang, who was allowed to plead guilty to a charge of second degree murder, may be sentenced tomorrow unless the prosecution asks that sentence be deferred until the termination of the case of the other five. It is understood that Asuncion will be used as a witness for the prosecution.

### MAYOR TO LET APPOINTMENT MATTER REST

Will Present No Names of New  
Appointees at Next Board  
Meeting, He Says

Mayor Joseph J. Fern will suggest no names of persons for appointment as heads of city departments at tomorrow night's meeting of the board of supervisors.

This is the answer he gave the Star-Bulletin today when asked if he would send in any further names in view of the fact that those he proposed for the offices of city engineer, water and sewer department manager and parks and playgrounds superintendent were turned down recently by the city dads.

The mayor intimated that he would wait until the return of Supervisor E. A. Mott-Smith to Honolulu before submitting further names.

"I'll tell you frankly," he declared to a Star-Bulletin reporter, "I'm not going to bring that matter up tomorrow morning. We are only going to listen to James T. Taylor talk on the Laimi improvement project."

Asked if he knew anything about the report that two Republican supervisors were planning to side with the Democratic supervisors so that the combination might gain control of the board, the mayor replied:

"They ought to do it."

But he added that he had heard nothing of the purported combination and split in the Republican majority.

Don't forget the delicatessen sale to be held Sept. 8, 1917, at the corner of Bernieria and Red streets, for the benefit of the Red Cross.—Adv.

### Honolulu Stock Exchange

Thursday, Aug. 30.

#### MERCANTILE—

Mid Asked

Alexander & Baldwin 33 33 1/2

C. Brewer & Co. 37 37 1/2

Ewa Plantation Co. 33 33 1/2

Hawaiian Agr. Co. 47 47 1/2

Hawaiian Sugar Co. 37 37 1/2

Honokaa Sugar Co. 37 37 1/2

Honolulu Sugar Co. 37 37 1/2

Hutchinson Sugar Plant. 20 20 1/2

Kahuku Plantation Co. 20 20 1/2

Kekaha Sugar Co. 20 20 1/2

Koloa Sugar Co. 20 20 1/2

McBryde Sugar Co. Ltd. 10 10 1/2

Oahu Sugar Co. 30 30 1/2

Olaa Sugar Co. Ltd. 10 10 1/2

Onomea Sugar Co. 54 54 1/2

Paahau Sugar Plant. Co. 190 190 1/2

Pacific Sugar Mill 190 190 1/2

Paia Plantation Co. 190 190 1/2

Peepee Sugar Co. 37 37 1/2

Pioneer Mill Co. 26 26 1/2

San Carlos Milling Co. 26 26 1/2

Waialua Agr. Co. 26 26 1/2

Waialuku Sugar Co. 26 26 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS—

Endau Dev. Co. Ltd. 1st Is. As. 7 pc Pd. 150 150 1/2

2nd Is. As. fully paid 150 150 1/2

Haku Fruit & Pack. Pld 150 150 1/2

Haku Fruit & Pack. Com 150 150 1/2

Hawaii Con. Ry. 7 pc. A 6 6 1/2

Hawaii Con. Ry. 6 pc. B 6 6 1/2

Hawaii Con. Ry. Co. 6 6 1/2

Hawaiian Electric Co. 44 44 1/2

Hawaiian Pineapple Co. 44 44 1/2

Hon. Brew. & Malt Co. 145 145 1/2

Hon. R. T. & L. Co. 145 145 1/2

Inter-Island S. N. Co. 190 190 1/2

Mutual Telephone Co. 150 150 1/2

Oahu Railway & Land Co. 150 150 1/2

Pahang Rubber Co. 15 15 1/2

Selama-Dindings Plant. 15 15 1/2

Selama-Dindings (70 pc.) 15 15 1/2

Tanjong Olok Rubber Co. 39 39 1/2

BONDS—

Each Walk Imp. Dist. 25 25 1/2

Hamakua Ditch Co. 5s. 200 200 1/2

Hawaii Con. Ry. 5 pc. 200 200 1/2

Hawaiian Irr. Co. 6s. 200 200 1/2

Haw. Terr. 4 pc. Refund 25 25 1/2

Haw. Terr. 4 pc. Pub Imp 25 25 1/2

Haw. Terr. Pub. Imp. 4 pc 25 25 1/2

Hawn. Terr'l. 3 1/2 pc. 25 25 1/2

Honokaa Sugar Co. 6 pc. 25 25 1/2

Honolulu Gas Co. Ltd. 5s 25 25 1/2

Kauai Ry. Co. 6s. 25 25 1/2

Manoa Imp. Dist. 25 25 1/2

McBryde Sugar Co. 5s. 100 100 1/2

Mutual Telephone 5s 100 100 1/2

Oahu R. & L. Co. 5 pc. 104 104 1/2

Oahu Sugar Co. 6 pc. 110 110 1/2

Olaa Sugar Co. 6 pc. 99 99 1/2

Pacific Guano & Fer. Co. 99 99 1/2

Pacific Sugar Mill Co. 6s 99 99 1/2

San Carlos Milling Co. 99 99 1/2

Between Boards: Sales: 25, 150,

200, 50, 40 Olaa, 11; 10, 41, 66, 20 Oahu

Sugar, 30.25; 150 H. B. & M., 17.25; 25,

5 Ewa, 33.50; 165, 56 Haw. Con. A, 6.

Session Sales: 50, 50 Oahu, 30.25;

25, 25 Olaa, 11; 15, 45, 10 Waialua,

26.50; 10 Ewa, 33.50; 100 O. R. & L.,

150; 10 H. B. & M., 47.

Note—Correction—Last sales of

bonds: Oahu R. & L. Co. 5 pc., 105;

Olaa Sugar Co. 6 pc., 99.

Latest sugar quotation: 96 deg. test,

7.02 cents, or \$140.40 per ton.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Thursday, Aug. 30.

OIL—

Honolulu Con. Oil. 4.80 4.85

MINING—

Cal. Hawn. Dev. Co. 6.75 7.00

Engels Copper Mining .05 .06

Mineral Products Co. .20 .20

Mountain King Mining .06 .06

Tipp Gold Mine & Mill. .40 .41

Montana Bingham Co. .41 .42

Madera Mining Co. .41 .42

Sales: 1600 M. Products, .06; 3793

Bingham, .41; 2850 Madera, .42; 1025

Hon. Oil, .495; 500 Engels, 6.87; 130

Engels, 6.75; 1550 Bingham, .40.

Sugar 7.02cts

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PERSONALITIES

MISS ELLA TEAL of Eureka, Cal.,

has arrived in Honolulu to teach

school.

R. L. LILLIE, local agent for the

Sperry Flour Co., returned to Honolulu

with his wife on the Maui.

MISS GLADYS LUDDEN, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Luden of San

Jose, Cal., arrived in Honolulu yesterday

to teach.

MISS LUCILE ROBERTS of Los

Angeles, Cal., has arrived in Honolulu

to teach geography in the territorial

Normal school.

MISS ETTIE LEE of Los Angeles,

Cal., who has been teaching in the

islands for five years, returned to

Honolulu yesterday.

MINERAL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant

to a resolution of the stockholders

at the annual meeting held on July

29, 1917, a Special Meeting of Stock

holders is hereby called for Monday,

September 10, 1917, at 3 o'clock p. m.,

at the room of the Chamber of Com-

merce, Kaimukou Building, King

Street, in Honolulu.

The purpose of this meeting is to

authorize the sale by the Mineral Pro-

ducts Company to a corporation to be

incorporated under the laws of the

Territory of Hawaii and to be known

as the Mineral Products Company,

Limited, a Hawaiian corporation, of

all the assets, rights and franchises

of the Mineral Products Corp. any,

a Nevada corporation, and for such other

business ancillary thereto as may

be brought before the meeting.

MINERAL PRODUCTS COMPANY.